



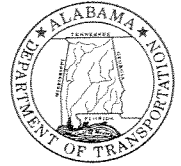
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TO: All County Engineers and
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RE: **Bridge Inspection – Alternative Underbridge Platforms**

As you know, ALDOT Divisions are going to larger snooper trucks that can not get on many posted County bridges; also, timely scheduling can be a problem due to work load.

The purpose of this memo is to let you know about a company that rents the subject platforms. These platforms can be used as an alternative to snooper trucks and can be used on bridges posted as low as 5 Tons. The name of the company is **Access Controlled Bridge Technologies**. For rental rates, contact Pat Dandridge at (770) 315-6993 or 800-617-0299 or e-mail Patrick@inspectabridge.com or patdandridge@msn.com.

For more information and details, go to their website www.inspectabridge.com. Please note that ALDOT will continue to make available Division snooper trucks when possible.

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